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RECLAMATION OF CONTAMINATED SOIL (gatherers for removing stone or the like from the soil A01B43/00; sterilising soil by steam A01G11/00; processes for making harmful chemical substances harmless or less harmful by effecting chemical change in the substance A62D3/00; separation in general B01D; cleaning beaches E01H12/00; removing undesirable matter, e.g. rubbish, from the land E01H15/00)

Glossary of terms

In this subclass/group, the following terms (or expressions) are used with the meaning indicated:

the partial or total elimination or the fixing of contaminants in soil.

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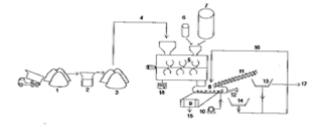
Reclamation of contaminated soil

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:

Removing contaminants from contaminated soil. Reclamation of contaminated soil comprising systems and methods generally applicable to any type of reclamation of contaminated soil.

Example: FR-A1-2872719



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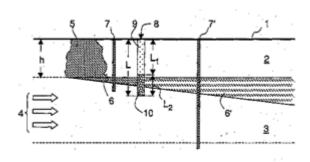
[N: involving in-situ ground water treatment]

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:

Any type of in-situ ground water treatment.

Example: CH-A5-696639



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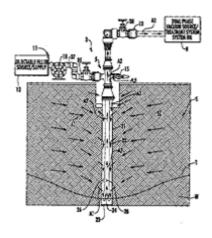
[N: Extraction of vapours or gases using vacuum or venting]

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:

Removing contaminants from contaminated soil by means of soil venting.

Example: US-A1-2009/080979



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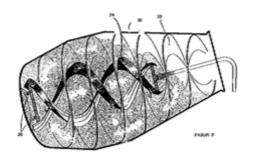
Extraction using liquids, e.g. washing, leaching, [N: flotation]

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:

Removing contaminants from contaminated soil by means of contacting the contaminated soil with a liquid.

Example: DE-A1-4228966



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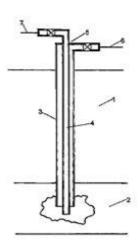
thermally (incinerators for contaminated soil F23G7/14)

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:

Removing contaminants from contaminated soil by means of a thermal treatment, such as desorbing, volatilizing.

Example: WO-A1-2007046688



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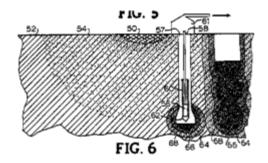
[N: by vitrification]

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:

Rendering contaminated soil harmless by means of vitrification.

Example: WO-A1-94/04761



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chemically (chemical means for combating harmful chemical agents A62D3/00)

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:

Rendering contaminated soil harmless by means of chemical treatment.

Removing contaminants from contaminated soil by means of chemical treatment. Binding of soil contaminants.

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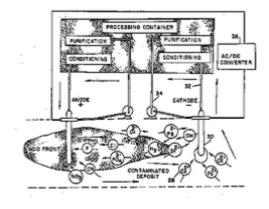
[N: electrochemically, e.g. by electrokinetics]

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:

Electrochemical treatment of contaminated soil.

Example: US-A-5458747



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microbiologically, [N: biologically] or by using enzymes

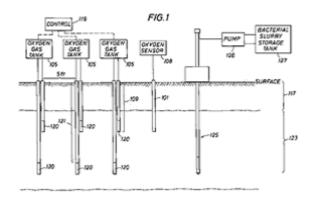
Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:

Rendering contaminated soil harmless by means of biological treatment.

Removing contaminants from contaminated soil by means of biological treatment.

Example: US-B1-6796741



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[N: using fungi or plants]

Definition statement

This subclass/group covers:

Removing contaminants from contaminated soil by means of fungi or plants.

Example: US-A1-2004/101945

